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The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro Chairwoman Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the United Way Service Center in fiscal year 2023. The entity to receive funding for this project is the United Way of Hudson County, located at 900 Bergen Ave, Suite 201, Jersey City, NJ 07306. The funding would be used rehabilitate the CAUSE Community Foodbank in Jersey City. The goal is to create the United Way Social Service Center (Center), which will have a State-of-the-Art Community Food Bank, a meeting space for neighborhood organizations, and house the headquarters for United Way. The Center will be a centrally located facility dispensing vitally needed social services to low- and moderate-income persons in the 10th Congressional District and all f Hudson County.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Donald M. Payne, Jr. Member of Congress